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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Copies of the listed documents required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2) are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97(g),(h), this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, and is not to be construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

This application is a divisional application of U.S. Serial No. 08/292,694, filed August 19, 1994; which is a continuation of PCT/US94/05747, filed May 20, 1994; which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 08/147,592, filed November 5, 1993; which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 08/100,694, filed July 30, 1993; which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 08/066,296, filed May 20, 1993; which are relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. § 120.

Applicants are submitting herewith a PTO-1449 form listing references C25 through C36. This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submits a Declaration of Dr. Terry Reisine, with attached Exhibits A through K. The Declaration of Terry Reisine is submitted as reference C25, and the references in Exhibits A through K correspond to references C26 through C36 on the accompanying PTO Form 1449.

The present Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the receipt of a first Official Action reflecting an examination on the merits, and hence is believed to be timely filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b). No fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. However, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Arnold, White & Durkee Deposit Account No. 01-2508/ARCD:177/WIM.

Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,



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